

# THE OWOSSO TIMES.

VOL. XXX

OWOSSO, MICHIGAN, DECEMBER 11, 1908.

NO. 38

## Shiawassee Mutual.

The annual meeting of the Shiawassee Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be held in Corunna, Thursday, Jan. 7, when officers will be elected, reports made and a change in the constitution considered.

## A. L. Chandler Re-Elected.

At the state association of Farmers' Clubs meeting at Lansing this week, A. L. Chandler of Owosso, was re-elected president, and A. B. Cook and F. D. Clark of this county, put on important committees.

## Dorr Day Wins World Prize.

Dorr Day received a fine silver cup the last of the week as first prize in a photo contest conducted by the Camera Magazine of Philadelphia. The picture was one of Miss Katherine Woodward, daughter of Elbert W. Woodward of Chicago, who is now with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mahaney, in this city.

## Posthumus—Morris.

Miss Verna Morris, daughter of F. M. Morris, King street, and Mr. George Posthumus were married Friday evening at the Congregational parsonage by Rev. C. H. Hanks, and left at 10 o'clock on the Michigan Central railroad for a short wedding trip. They were attended by Miss Magdalene Posthumus and Rex Morris, but did not notify others of their friends of their intention to be married. They will reside with the groom's mother on Genesee street for the present. Mr. Posthumus is a popular employee at the car shops and the bride has been an operator at the Union Telephone office for two years. Many friends extend congratulations.

## Joint Installation.

Owosso Lodge F. & A. M. and Owosso Chapter R. A. M. joined in installation of their newly elected officers Wednesday evening, nearly two hundred members and friends being present. Music was furnished by Smith's orchestra. Geo. H. Bedford installed the Chapter and H. T. Clough the Blue Lodge officers, following which an oyster supper was served and then under the direction of the new High Priest O. L. Sprague and the new Worshipful Master C. E. Rigley talks were given by Rev. Jennings, Rev. Hanks, H. T. Clough, S. E. Parkhill, B. S. Knapp, and G. T. Campbell. Smoking and visiting closed the evening's meeting.

## Elks Lodge of Sorrow.

The Lodge room and gallery at Elks' Temple were filled with members of Owosso Lodge B. P. O. E. and their families last Sunday afternoon when exercises in memory of deceased members of the lodge were held. Exalted Ruler McCaughna presided and music was furnished by the Elks band. Dr. R. J. Tick sang a hymn and Miss Gertrude Smith sang a solo, accompanied by Miss Lillian Cooper, pianist, and Miss Mable Ferry, violinist.

After prayer by Rev. C. H. Hanks, Joseph H. Collins gave a special eulogy for Brothers Geo. W. Loring and F. Geo. Morris, who have departed this life during the last year.

Captain W. H. Martin of Saginaw, gave a general eulogy filled with excellent ideas, the language being beautiful and the delivery of a high order of oratory. The exercises were short and very appropriate and reflected credit upon the committee and officers of the lodge.

## Dispatcher Blamed.

The coroners' jury in the case of the death of Wm. D. Ryan of Owosso, and A. Gegan, Toledo, in the Ann Arbor wreck at Hamburg, found that Thomas Laby, dispatcher of the railroad was to blame for the wreck in failing to hold one train at Hamburg. Mrs. Bryant, the operator at Hamburg, was cleared of blame, but has been dismissed by the railroad company.

## Supervisor Webb's Action Sustained.

Judge Kelly Searle of Ithaca, heard the case of James D. McCartney, executor, against Lloyd Webb in the circuit court, and decreed that the bill of complaint be dismissed, the complainant pay clerk's and stenographer's fees, Mr. Webb to pay Mrs. Emma Turner \$45 for caring for Mrs. Ormston, that the deed given to Mr. Webb of property in the third ward is a valid deed and that the charges that undue influence was used to obtain it were not true. Mr. Webb advanced money to provide for Mrs. Ormston, taking a deed to the property to reimburse for the expense of caring for her.

## Death of Perry M. Little.

At an early hour Wednesday morning, Perry M. Little passed away after a year's sickness with a complication of diseases, aged 66 years. Mr. Little came to the city nearly seven years ago from Grand Rapids and was employed up to the time he was taken sick at the plant of the Owosso Manufacturing Co. He was a man well liked by his fellow employees and a wide circle of friends. Surviving are his wife, four daughters, Mrs. M. D. Hoag of Marshall, Mrs. Geo. Lake of Burton, Mrs. L. D. Kerby and Mrs. E. P. Spitzer of this city; also three brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Church of Christ, Rev. C. M. Keene officiating.

## WAS MIXED OFTEN.

## Druggists Hear Much Praise for a Simple Home-Made Mixture.

Some remarkable stories are being told about town and among the country people coming in of this simple home-made mixture curing Rheumatism and Kidney trouble. Here is the recipe and directions for taking: Mix by shaking well in a bottle one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Take as a dose one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

No change need be made in your usual diet, but drink plenty of good water. This mixture has a peculiar tonic effect upon the kidneys; cleansing the clogged-up pores of the eliminative tissues, forcing the kidneys to sift and strain from the blood the uric acid and other poisonous waste matter, overcoming Rheumatism, Bladder and Urinary troubles in a short while.

A druggist here who had had hundreds of calls for these ingredients since the first announcement in the newspapers last October stated that the people who once try it "swear by it," especially those who have Urinary and Kidney trouble and suffer with Rheumatism.

All the druggists in this neighborhood say they can supply the ingredients, which are easily mixed at home. There is said to be no better blood-cleansing agent or system tonic known, and certainly none more harmless or simple to use.

## Oaks Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Oaks Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Burton, held the election of officers Saturday evening, and the following officers were elected:

N. G.—John C. Austin.  
V. G.—Lee Head.  
R. S.—W. M. Giles.  
Treas.—Silas Bailey.

## Age of Results.

25 per cent. saved by using Winifrede Coal.  
Owosso Ice & Fuel Co.

## Society Elections.

OWOSSO LODGE NO. 881 O. O. F.  
P. N. G.—Ray Farver.  
N. G.—C. G. Eaton.  
V. G.—F. Sutphen.  
Secy.—J. J. Bowers.  
Fin. Secy.—J. Q. Abels.  
Treas.—J. Meinstine.  
Trustee—F. Ward.  
Capt. of Staff—Ward B. Carl.  
ORIENTAL ENCAMPMENT I. O. O. F.  
O. P.—F. G. Ward.  
H. P.—E. S. Marsh.  
S. W.—W. Carl.  
Rec. Scribe—W. Brooks.  
Fin. Scribe—Wm. Kohlmeier.  
Treas.—J. J. Bowers.  
J. W.—B. J. Angus.  
Rep.—C. McCormick.  
Alternate—O. C. Whitney.  
Capt.—W. Carl.

ADELPHI HIVE L. O. T. M. M.  
Past Com.—Ella J. Osmer.  
Com.—Minnie E. Mason.  
Lt. Com.—Matee E. Sample.  
Record Keeper—Florence Barrett.  
Fin. Keeper—Frances D. Rood.  
Cph.—Ellen M. Nelson.  
Sargt.—Eola Everts.  
M. at A.—Gertrude Wooster.  
Sentinel—Jennie Birk.  
Pickett—Ida M. Fish.

COMPANION COURT OF FORESTERS.  
Court Depy.—Nellie Hoard.  
Phy.—P. S. Willson.  
P. C. R.—Mary Pond.  
C. R.—Evelyn Ege.  
V. C. R.—Cora VanSice.  
Rec. Sec.—Rebecca McLean.  
Fin. Sec.—Ida Washburn.  
Treas.—Emma Slocum.  
Orator—Ida Bowles.  
Pianist—Lola Dowling.  
Asst.—Grace Berlingette.  
Sr. Woodard—Frances Meng.  
Jr. Woodard—Mary Carr.  
Sr. Beadle—Etta Wiswell.  
Jr. Beadle—Alta Johnson.  
Trustee—Josephine Starr, Mary E. Pond.  
Fin. Com.—Mary Cook, Mary Shaw.

## ROYAL NEIGHBORS.

Oracle—Josie Lampman.  
Vice Oracle—Minnie Rifenburg.  
Past Oracle—Minnie Brown.  
Chancellor—Emma Shoulters.  
Recorder—Frances Rood.  
Receiver—Lena Grow.  
Marshal—Mae Lewis.  
Asst. Marshal—Barbara Menhardt.  
I. Sentinel—Edna Rood.  
O. Sentinel—Mary Reckling.  
Pianist—Nellie Schlaack.  
Manager—Loa Ferguson.  
Exam. Phy.—Dr. Scott.

## DEGREE OF HONOR.

P. C. of H.—Maggie Angus.  
C. of H.—Helen Zimmerman.  
L. of H.—Margaret Western.  
C. of C.—Hattie Valentine.  
Rec.—Hattie Kent.  
Fin.—Alma Cole.  
Receiver—Anna Coy.  
Usher—Nettie Dwight.  
I. W.—Lillian Ketchum.  
O. W.—Mary Cheal.  
Delegate to Grand Lodge—Minnie Angus.  
Alternate—Maggie Angus.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS.

P. C.—Nellie Connor.  
M. E. C.—Edith Hayward.  
E. S.—Elizabeth Nelson.  
E. J.—Louise Sanderhoff.  
M.—Sadie Brown.  
M. of R. and C.—Ella Crowe.  
M. of F.—Virginia Storrer.  
P. of T.—Anna Moody.  
G. O. T.—Ella Converse.  
Trustee for three years—Emma Moore.

Representatives to Grand Lodge—Emma Moore, Edna Chapman.  
Alternates—Virginia Storrer, Hattie Copas.

## Installing Officer—Hattie Copas.

## MODERN WOODMEN

V. C.—M. F. Grow.  
W. A.—M. D. Lindsey.  
Clerk—Eugene Monroe.  
Banker—Odie Fox.  
Phys.—Drs. Scott, Hume and Mahaney.

I. G.—Fred Lewis.  
O. G.—R. B. Warren.  
Manager—F. L. Ferguson.  
Escort—Thomas Heath.

## VERNON REBEKAHS.

Noble Grand—Mrs. Flora Keyes.  
Vice Grand—Mrs. Lotta Hart.  
Secretary—Mrs. Beulah Higgins.  
Financial Secretary—E. Hart.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Sarah Hart.

## LOYAL AMERICANS.

Pres.—Geo. E. Pardee.  
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Amelia Balser.  
Sec. and Treas.—W. O. Phillips.  
Prelate—Miss Julia Balser.  
Sergeant—David Kurlie.  
1st Corporal—Miss Stella Meder.  
2nd Cor.—Mrs. Kittle Cunningham.  
Orderly—Ralph B. Gaylor.  
Guard—D. S. Marvin.  
Sent.—O. G. Flack.  
Med. Ex.—P. S. Willson, M. D.

## WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Pres.—Mrs. Sarah Livingston.  
Senior Vice Pres.—Mrs. Alice E. Watson.  
Junior Vice Pres.—Mrs. Emma Baker.  
Chaplain—Mrs. Julia Johnson.  
Sec.—Sarah Wiley.  
Treas.—Mrs. Ella Owen.  
Conductor—Mrs. Ella C. Southworth.  
Guard—Eliza Freeman.

## OWOSSO CHAPTER R. A. M.

High Priest—O. L. Sprague.  
King—C. C. Wright.  
Scribe—Alonzo Crane.  
Secretary—E. F. Conant.  
Treasurer—H. D. Lyon.  
Captain of Host—F. C. Hanscom.  
Principal Sojourner—J. J. McDonald.

Royal Arch Captain—E. E. Smith.  
Master 3rd Veil—R. R. Hart.  
Master 2nd Veil—G. A. Ott.  
Master 1st Veil—W. F. Letts.

## EASTON L. O. T. M. M.

Com.—Etta M. Small.  
P. C.—Lillian Dickie.  
L. C.—Bertha Bittell.  
R. C.—Julia Hown.  
F. K.—Ada Morse.  
Chap.—Bertha Crickmore.  
Sergt.—Mayme Bittell.  
M. at A.—Hattie White.  
Sent.—Myrtle Williams.  
Pickett—Amy Richardson.

## LAINGSBURG REBEKAHS

Noble Grand—Nora Leoffler.  
Vice Grand—Edith Swarthout.  
Record Keeper—Etta Piper.  
Fin. Sec.—Emma Powell.  
Fin. Treas.—Mary Swarthout.

## PERRY F. & A. M.

W. M.—Chas. O. Robinson.  
S. W.—Dr. L. M. Cudworth.  
J. W.—Clair C. Austin.  
Treas.—Walter K. Hall.  
Secy.—Stanley H. Wallace.  
S. D.—Emra G. Smith.  
J. D.—Charles Harvey.  
Tyler—Dr. H. W. Cobb.  
S. S.—James G. Leggett.  
J. S.—J. Walter Hough.

## VERNON F. & A. M.

W. M.—C. J. Gansley.  
Senior Warden—W. J. McCullough.  
Junior Warden—C. J. McLaughlin.  
Treasurer—Milo Howard.  
Secretary—Victor Holmes.  
Senior Deacon—Edward McCall.  
Junior Deacon—Charles Paine.  
Tyler—William Fleming.

## HENDERSON LODGE I. O. O. F.

P. G.—Otis B. Cook.  
N. G.—A. L. Pierce.  
V. G.—P. P. Bishop.  
Rec. Sec.—Wm. Kohlmeier.  
Fin. Sec.—W. H. Kelly.  
Treas.—H. W. Horn.  
Trustee—W. H. Perkins.

## EASTON TENT K. O. T. M. M.

Com.—W. J. Williams.  
L. Com.—John H. Mallory.  
R. K.—J. A. Richardson.  
F. K.—Wm. L. Goodwill.  
Chap.—Devenport Terry.  
Sec.—Byron W. Smith.  
M. at A.—John A. Renner.  
1st G.—J. R. Linzey.  
2nd G.—Isaac Schantz.  
Sentinel—W. A. Morse.  
Pickett—M. L. Bittell.

## CORUNNA CHAPTER R. A. M.

High Priest—A. W. Green.  
King—Hugh M. Nichols.  
Scribe—G. E. Clutterbuck.  
Secy.—John Y. Martin.  
Treas.—W. A. Rosenkrans.  
Capt. of Host—L. N. Sheardy.  
Principal Sojourner—Joseph Laffrey.  
R. A. Captain—Frank Johnson.  
Master Third Veil—Joe Schultz.  
Master Second Veil—Harry Elbridge.  
Master First Veil—G. R. Cole.

## Won't Do It Again.

Clark Thomas of Alma, pleaded guilty to giving liquor to a friend contrary to the local option law, and was sentenced by Judge K. S. Searl to pay a fine of \$100 and \$10 costs and also to serve 60 days in the county jail.

Food is more tasteful, healthful and nutritious when raised with

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Made from Grapes

Absolutely PURE

## PROGRAM

Shiawassee Farmers' Institute, to be held at Bancroft, Dec. 15 and 16.

## Tuesday Forenoon:

9:45 Address of Welcome, by C. E. Godfrey, President of the village of Bancroft.  
Response—Pres. Floyd Owen, Vernon.  
Invocation—Rev. J. T. M. Stephens, Bancroft.  
Chicks and their Care—Prof. J. H. Halpin, M. A. C.  
Discussion—F. D. Clark, Vernon.  
Bringing Up the Worn Out Farm—C. S. Bartlett, Pontiac.  
Discussion—C. A. Whelan, Vernon.

## Tuesday Afternoon:

1:00 Question Box—In charge of Prof. Halpin.  
Music—Ladies' Orchestra, Bancroft.  
Corn Crop and its Needs—C. S. Bartlett.  
Discussion—P. B. Reynolds, Owosso.  
Recitation—Mrs. Frank Scribner, Bancroft.  
Music—Mrs. H. Rippey, Durand.  
Agriculture in Rural Schools—Prof. W. H. French, M. A. C.  
Discussion—Wm. McCullough, Shiawassee.

## Tuesday Evening:

7:00 Music—Ladies' Orchestra, Bancroft.  
Farming for Profit (with vocal selection)—C. S. Bartlett.  
Discussion—Britton Mattoon, Shiawassee.  
Paper—Mrs. F. D. Clark, Vernon.  
Handling Hens for Egg Production—Prof. Halpin.  
Music—Miss Conley, Bancroft.  
The Agricultural College and its Work—Prof. W. H. French.  
Music—Ladies' Orchestra.

## Wednesday Forenoon:

9:45 Invocation—Rev. L. Ostrander, Bancroft.  
Music—Mrs. Dr. Cady, Bancroft.  
Alfalfa for Michigan Farmers—C. S. Bartlett.  
Discussion—J. S. Smith, Byron.  
Potatoes from Seed to Market—Prof. Taft, M. A. C.  
Discussion—E. Byam, Bancroft.  
Music—Ladies' Quartette, Bancroft.  
Business meeting, election of officers etc.

## Wednesday Afternoon:

1:00 Question Box—In charge of Prof. Taft, M. A. C.  
Music—Mrs. Payne and Miss Patterson, Bancroft.

## Hogs in Connection with Dairy—C. S. Bartlett.

Discussion—Earl Stone, Knaggs Bridge.  
Reading—Mrs. M. K. Phillips, Bancroft.  
Fruit Growing for the General Farmer—Prof. Taft.  
Discussion—C. B. Cook, Owosso.  
Music—Ladies' Quartette, Bancroft.  
Forestry for Farmers—Prof. J. F. Baker, M. A. C.  
Discussion—E. J. Cook.  
Ladies of the M. E. church will serve meals at church parlors. Dinner 20c, Supper 10c.

## Real Estate Transfers.

C. Parkhurst to F. Rogers, pt sw 1/4 sec 18, Burns, \$1000.  
L. Woodin to D. Stafford and wife pt nw 1/4, sec 25, Owosso, \$2500.  
W. Garber to N. Horton, pt nw 1/4, sec 28, Owosso, \$2500.  
L. Woodin to D. Stafford and wife e 1/4, lt. blk 6, S. K. Barne's add, Owosso, \$625.

## DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

## Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and Home of Swamp-Root dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.

\$1000.00

Given for any substance injurious to health found in food resulting from the use of

Calumet Baking Powder



## Our New Line of Clothing

Is the Finest Ever Shown in Owosso

# MURRAY & TERBUSH, OWOSSO

CORNER WASHINGTON AND MAIN STREETS

WE are not given to making exaggerated statements in our ads nor do we permit our salesmen to do so, and we would not make the above claim if we could not substantiate it. We are now showing the New Styles in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Fall and Winter Overcoats, New Hats and Caps AND MEN'S FURNISHINGS

The NEW STYLES are very attractive and our Clothing is exceptionally well made. We would like you to call and examine our Stock, for we feel assured we can please you.